

1 WEEK OF THE SUMMER TERM TO GO

With the final week approaching a reminder of the events we have to look forward to.

- We have our final end of half term achievers assembly on Monday morning for those children who have been chosen. You will have been contacted this week if your child is receiving an award. R/KS1 9.15am, YR3/4 10am, YR5/6 10.30am.
- 2) End of Year reports will be coming home with your child on Monday and will include your child's attendance record for the year along with our attendance poster so you are aware of attendance expectations. For those with children in Reception (EYFS Profile), Year 1 (Phonics), Year 4 (Multiplication Tables and Year 6 (KS2 SATs), you will also receive the statutory examination information from this years testing.
- Sports Day will now take place on Thursday 25th July. KS2 9.30am and R/KS1 1.30pm. We couldn't believe the state of the field on Tuesday and a check on Wednesday confirmed the fear that it would

still be flooded. We will do our very best to hold this event next week.

4) Year 6 Leavers Assembly will take place on Friday at 9.30am for our Year 6 pupils and parents/ carers. This will take place in the KS1 Hall and parents should enter by the KS1 gate from 9.15am.



Great attendance means being in school at least 97%. Did you know? A two week holiday in term time means that the highest attendance you can achieve is 94.5%.

SPORTS WEEK

Even though the field was out of action from Tuesday, the weather for Sports Week was good overall. A thank you to John and Dom Lloyd from UK Sports and other local community clubs for supporting us this week including: Hazel Grove United Football Club, Hazel Grove Tennis Club, Scoot Fit and Event Stuff with their golf experience. Hazel Grove United and Bramhall Hockey Club would welcome any children who want to take up these sports outside of school. If you or your child are interested then please get in touch with them. Information on the following page.







Summer Holiday Camps

Have you arranged childcare for the summer!?

Ultimate Football / GK Wars / Multisports / Dance Indoor & Outdoor facilities. Hazel Grove Sports Centre & Romiley Primary School.

Timings: 8:30am (Early bird) 9am to 3.30pm (standard day) 4pm (Late stay) 4:30pm (Romiley) Ofsted registered childcare provider - we accept childcare vouchers as payment.

Book now: https://uk-sports-coaching-ltd.classforkids.io/camps For more information please feel free to contact us: 07891205763 info@uksportscoaching.co.uk www.uksportscoaching.co.uk #uksports #summer #camp #football #multisports #dance #hazelgrove #stockport #quality #assured #compliant

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UKSports Coach, Dom Lloyd, delivered amazing hockey sessions to the KS2 children on Wednesday. If any of the children are interested and enthused by hockey please see the local club flyer here:

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WE AT STOCKPORT BRAMHALL HOCKEY CLUB ARE LOOKING FOR NEW PLAYERS OF ALL AGES TO COME AND JOIN OUR ESTABLISHED CLUBI TEAMS INCLUDE:

> 3 MENS TEAMS 5 LADIES TEAMS MIXED HOCKEY U7'S UP TO U16'S



THURSDAY EVENINGS 6PM - 7PM HAZEL GROVE

HIGH SCHOOL ON THE 4G PITCH

CHILDREN BOTH BOYS AND AGED 4-7 GIRLS WELCOME

1ST SESSION FREE THEN ONLY £5 A SESSION

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YEAR 4 LOCAL AREA WALK

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The children carried out a tally of the different facilities that are available in our local area. The children were particularly excited to walk past the High School and to walk through the park! They then compared results when they got back to school to see how many different businesses and recreational facilities they'd spotted.

YEAR 5 VENTURE OUT

Our Year 5's, as part of their Rivers topic, took a trip down the Mersey last Friday to learn more about our river. A fantastic trip.



ANNUAL POTATO COMPETITION

A disappointing crop this year due to the wet weather but a big well done to 6G who won this year.



SCHOOL CROSSING PATROL

We will be losing Mark, our school crossing patrol person after summer so there is currently an advert online for the post. If you know anyone who would be interested then please share this advert with them.

SCHOOL CROSSING PATROL VACANCY – Hazel Grove

- A rewarding position as an employee of Stockport Council
- A chance to work close to where you live
- A healthy, fresh air environment
- An opportunity to meet and talk with people in the community
- A chance to help to make a safe environment for children who are travelling to and from school.

Location and working hours:-

Lyndhurst Ave/outside Moorfield Primary School

Hours 5:00 pe week

Salary £11:59 per hour

Applicants will be subject to a criminal records check. Full training and uniform are provided.

For further details go to the following website:

https://stockportjobs.engageats.co.uk



AND FINALLY ... SCHOOL UNIFORM

A reminder that the badge on the school uniform changes from September. The new uniform from our school supplier My Clothing Ltd <u>www.myclothing.com</u> is now providing uniform with the tree logo on. However, we will still allow uniform with the sun blush logo on for the foreseeable future. A reminder, there is no obligation to buy uniform with the school logo on as per our school uniform policy.



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Best wishes,

Paul Anderson Headteacher





What Parents & Educators Need to Know about WORRY AND ANXIE

Worry and anxiety are common emotions experienced by children, often triggered by uncertainty or fear. While worry involves concern about future events, anxiety is a persistent feeling of dread or apprel Current statistics indicate a rising prevalence of anxiety disorders among children, and this guide has some expert advice on understanding and addressing these concerns

At The National College, our WakeUpWednesday guides empower and equip parents, carers and educators with the confidence and practical skills to be able to have informed and age-appropriate conversations with children about online safety, mental health and wellbeing, and climate change. Formerly delivered by National Online Safety, these guides now address wider topics and themes. For further guides, hints and tips, please visit nationalcollege.com.

UNDERSTANDING WORRY AND ANXIETY

Worry and anxiety are emotional responses to stress or uncertainty. Worry is typically associated with potential misfortune, while anxiety is characterised by feelings of fear, apprehension or unease. Both can manifest physically through symptoms such as restlessness, fatigue or muscle tension. Understanding the distinction between worry and anxiety is crucial for effectively addressing these concerns in oblideon

DIFFERENTIATING WORRY FROM ANXIETY

While worry and anxiety share similarities – in that they both involve concerns about possible trouble – anxiety tends to be more constant and overwhelming. Worry may come and go depending on circumstances, whereas anxiety can linger regardless of the situation. It's essential to recognise when the former crosses into the latter, as anxiety can significantly imp a child's daily functioning and wellbeing.

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WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES

Untreated worry and anxiety in childhood can have potentially lifelong impacts on a person's mental health and wellbeing. Chronic anxiety may increase the risk of developing anxiety disorders, depression or other mental health conditions later in life. Additionally, unresolved worry and anxiety can negatively impact self-esteem, confidence and overall resilience. It's essential to address these concerns proactively and provide appropriate support and intervention.

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THE IMPACT ON CHILDREN

Excessive worry and anxiety can have profound effects on children's mental and emotional health. It may interfere with their ability to concentrate, sleep or participate in daily activities. Chronic worry and anxiety can also lead to physical symptoms such as headaches, stomach aches or difficulty breathing. Left unchecked, these concerns can escalate and potentially contribute to the development of anxiety disorders later in life.

THE EMOTIONAL TOLL

The emotional impact of worry and anxiety on children can be significant, affecting their overall quality of life and wellbeing. Children experiencing chronic worry or anxiety may feel overwhelmed, irritable or helpless. They may also withdraw from social activities or avoid situations that trigger their anxiety, leading to feelings of isolation or loneliness. Addressing these concerns early can help prevent long-term emotional distress and promote healthy coping strategies.

ACADEMIC & SOCIAL IMPACTS

Impacts on the academic performance and social interactions of children and young people are very possible. Frequent worry or anxiety may impair concentration, memory and problem-solving skills, making it difficult for children to succeed in education. Anxiety can also hinder social development by causing children and young people to avoid social situations or to struggle with communication and interpersonal relationships, potentially leading to feelings of isolation or exclusion. exclusion

Advice for Parents & Educators

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ENCOURAGE OPEN COMMUNICATION

rents and educators can foster a supportive environment by encouraging ildren to express their worries and anxieties openly. Actively listening and knowledging young people's emotions can help them feel understood d supported, reducing the situation's intensity. Creating opportunities regular check-ins and discussions about one's feelings can promote the socie entensise cand tenarthen communication bonds. thy coping strategies and strengthen communication

TEACH COPING STRATEGIES

Empowering children with effective coping strategies is essential for managing worry and anxiety. Encourage the use of relaxation techniques such as deep breathing, mindfulness or progressive muscle relaxation to calm anxious thoughts and promote a sense of composure. Additionally, teaching positive self-taik and problem-solving skills can help children develop resilience and confidence in managing challenging situations

Meet Our Expert

Adam Gillett is Associate Vice Principal for Personal Development at Penistone Grammar School and works on secondment one day a week for Minds Ahead, which collaborates with schools on improving their mental health provisions.





CREATE A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT

SEEK PROFESSIONAL HELP

Parents and educators play a crucial role in creating a supportive environment that promotes emotional wellbeing. Establishing routines, providing predictability and offering reassurance can help relieve anxiety create a sense of security for children. Foster a culture of empathy and understanding, where children feel safe enough to express their emotions and seek support when needed.

Recognising when to seek professional help is vital for addressing significant or



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